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## SEPT. 12 DRAFT ENROLLING DAY SET BY THE PRESIDENT; MAN POWER BILL SIGNED

Wilson in Proclamation Asks  
Men Under the New Law  
Ages to Register.

HOPE TO GET 13,000,000

"We Solemnly Purpose a De-  
cisive Victory of Arms," Says  
the Nation's Executive.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—Thursday, Sept. 12, was set to-day by President Wilson as the date for registration of the army draft of all men in the United States between the ages of 18 and 45, inclusive, who have not already registered or who are not now in the military or naval service.

In a proclamation issued immediately after he signed the new Man-Power Bill this afternoon authorizing extension of the 21-31 draft ages, the President called on the younger and older men to enroll on that day with local draft boards where they make their permanent homes.

"We solemnly purpose a decisive victory of arms," said the President, "and deliberately to devote the larger part of the military man-power of the Nation to the accomplishment of that purpose."

It is the call to duty to which every true man in the country will respond with pride and with the consciousness that in doing so he plays his part in vindication of a great cause, at whose summons every true heart offers in supreme service."

The hours of registration will be from 7 A. M. to 2 P. M., and all State and local officials are called on to make immediate arrangements for maintenance of registration places on that day.

ALL MEN WITHIN THE AGES MUST REGISTER.

All men within the new ages, whether citizens of the United States or not, must register, unless they are diplomatic or consular representatives of foreign nations.

In case of illness on the registration day, arrangements for tardy enrollment may be made with local boards and men who expect to be absent from their homes may register by mail, sufficiently in advance that the registration record reaches the board by Sept. 12. If a man has no permanent residence he is to register at the place he is on Sept. 12 and those out of the country on that day are required to enroll within five days after their return.

At least 13,000,000 men will place themselves subject to call for war service under the new registration, it is estimated, although only those without dependents, in good health and otherwise qualified for arduous duty of soldier life are to be taken first.

Youths in their eighteenth year will be placed in a separate group, the War Department announced, to be subject to a special educational programme, and will not be called until the supply of other available men in the new classes is exhausted. This will be long deferred, however, inasmuch as it has been announced

### SEVEN HURT IN SUBWAY CRASH AT TIMES SQUARE

B. R. T. Trains Meet in Collision—  
Police Reserves Called to  
Handle Crowd.

Seven persons in a crowded subway train were injured at noon to-day in a collision at the Times Square Station of the Broadway-Brooklyn line of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company.

The brakes failed on a northbound local, which crashed into a train standing in the station. The persons injured were in the incoming local.

Those removed to Bellevue Hospital were: Abraham Konder, No. 631 East 17th Street, Joseph Mangano, No. 133 14th Street, Brooklyn; Vito Grilo, No. 145 8th Street, Brooklyn, and Margaret Thomas, one of the train guards, No. 28 Fourth Avenue, Brooklyn.

The others, who went home after first aid, were: Walter Reichard, No. 1754 76th Street, Brooklyn; Albert Feinstein, No. 607 Howard Avenue, Brooklyn, and Ruth Schol, thirteen years old, No. 8843 Pitkin Avenue, Brooklyn.

Police reserves were called to preserve order in the connection that resulted from the delay of trains. It took twenty minutes to clear the tracks and resume service.

### ANNA HELD LEFT \$300,000.

Daughter Gets Bulk of the Estate of Actress.

The will of Anna Held, the actress, who died at the Hotel Savoy on Aug. 12, was filed in the Surrogate's Office to-day. It disposes of an estate valued at more than \$300,000, the bulk of which goes to her daughter, Liane Cerrera, who resided with her mother at the Hotel Savoy. The daughter, to whom is bequeathed \$200,000, is also named as the residuary legatee.

Beatrice Brochi, Miss Held's maid, received \$2,000; Yvonne Gomy of Paris, daughter of the conjurer of her Paris home, 1,000 francs; Corinne Miles of New York, her advance agent, \$350, and Lillian Russell Moore of Pittsburgh, \$2,500.

### 3 AUSTRIAN ACES KILLED.

Two Lieutenants Also Brought Down by Italians.

ROME, Aug. 31.—During the past week the Austrian aces, Count Saly, Barons Kutcher and Ehrhold, and Lieuts. Lieke and Hobes have been killed in air fights. All had bombed open Italian towns.

### OBEY SUNDAY AUTO BAN OR FACE GENERAL ORDER TO CUT USE OF GASOLINE

Self-Interest of Motorists as Well as  
Patriotism Demands Compli-  
ance, Says Capt. Hawes.

A telegram to The Evening World to-day from Capt. W. Gerald Hawes, No. 148 Broadway, calls attention to the fact that the self-interest of motorists as well as their patriotism should prompt each one to comply faithfully with the request of Dr. Garfield for conservation of gasoline by sacrificing pleasure rides on Sunday.

The alternative, as Capt. Hawes points out, "may be a general curtailment of motor driving on all days hereafter." It is a selfish few refuse the voluntary sacrifice on one day out of seven it may mean a greater and involuntary sacrifice on seven days a week, says Capt. Hawes, for the Government's need of gasoline will be met, no matter how drastic may become the necessary measures to get it.

## U BOATS TORPEDO AMERICAN SHIP; 53 ARE MISSING

Sixteen Rescued After Joseph  
Cudahy Is Sunk Off Coast  
of England.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The United States cargo steamship Joseph Cudahy was torpedoed at sea about 700 miles from the English coast Aug. 17 and fifty-three members of the crew are reported missing. Sixteen were rescued.

Two submarines made the attack and two torpedoes struck the ship, the first striking the fuel tank and the second the engine room. The Captain of the Cudahy reported that he was taken aboard one of the U boats and questioned.

Of the missing, twenty-two were members of the Naval Armed Guard, only two of the guard being reported rescued.

Following are the missing of the armed naval guard:

Edwin F. Brezinski, No. 507 Columbia Avenue, Neenah, Wis.

Stephen Cervinski, No. 55 Darcy Street, Newark, N. J.

Gregory J. Clarke, No. 1735 Winne Avenue, Helena, Mont.

Herbert J. Doie, No. 1537 St. Charles Street, Alameda, Cal.

Herman Fiedler, No. 468 Union Avenue, Paterson, N. J.

William C. Haack, No. 195 Holladay Avenue, San Francisco.

Edward Hahnemann, No. 98 Barnum Street, Newark, N. J.

Herman Glick, Cliff Street, Paterson, N. J.

Virgil Higgins, No. 123 18th Street, Columbus, Ga.

Duella M. Lilly, Los Angeles, Cal.

Hayden P. Roberts, Cleveland, O.

Samuel Schoppe, No. 281 Scholes Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Harris B. Scrofel, Los Gatos, Cal.

Claude M. Stark, No. 891 Fair Street, Appleton, Wis.

Anton M. Szauder, No. 720 East 3d Street, Winona, Minn.

William R. Suttles, Elwood, Ga.

Edward C. Masterson, No. 366 Pleasant Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

Sydney L. Munro, No. 1025 47th Street, Oakland, Cal.

Elmer F. Nelson, No. 166 Hyland Avenue, San Francisco.

Frank H. O'Dell, Oakland, Cal.

Miguel B. Pratta, No. 3112 Humboldt Street, Los Angeles, Cal.

William L. Pyne, 2195 Vallejo Street, San Francisco.

### SUBMARINE ATTACKS TUG OFF ATLANTIC COAST PORT

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 31.—The crew of the tug Triton to-day reported having been fired upon by an enemy submarine off Boone Island. It was very foggy at the time. The tug changed its course and raced for safety.

The submarine fired only one shot and soon submerged. At that moment an American steamer appeared on the scene. Both vessels were well sheltered from sight by the fog as they made haste to reach the nearest harbor.

### Sixteen Survivors of Cudahy Brought to U. S. Port.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 31.—A British freight steamship which arrived here to-day from an European port brought sixteen members of the American steamship Joseph Cudahy, torpedoed by U boats.

The Joseph Cudahy was a tank steamship of 3,392 tons gross, under command of Capt. Hillgrove. She was owned by the Sinclair Gulf Corporation, was built in Baltimore in 1917 and sailed from Wilmington, Del.

## ENLARGING ARMY UNDER PERSHING, SAYS GEN. MARCH

Troops Taken From British  
and French Forces in First  
U. S. Field Army.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—American troops brigaded with the British and French forces are being withdrawn as rapidly as possible to join the First American Field Army under Gen. Pershing. Gen. March said to-day in his weekly conference with members of the Senate Military Committee.

The Chief of Staff threw no new light on the part Americans are playing in the present offensive, but the impression was given that the programme of concentrating the army for action under Gen. Pershing was going forward satisfactorily.

Shipments of De Havilland airplanes, which were temporarily held up on the order of Secretary Baker, so certain changes could be made in them, Gen. March said, were resumed this week.

Reports received up to to-day by the War Department show that 1,003 De Havilland planes had been completed and made ready to turn over to the Government in the week, and 765 had been shipped or were already enroute overseas.

The General reiterated that the fighting on the western front is going satisfactorily to the Allies. He also said the last figures of men actually landed abroad showed 1,220,000 in France on Aug. 7. Several hundred thousand have been landed since then, however.

March announced that the number embarked had passed 1,500,000.

The Senators questioned Gen. March regarding reported plans of the War Department to take over some four hundred educational institutions throughout the country and to educate boys between eighteen and twenty years of age pending their call into active military service.

The Chief of the General Staff explained the plans under which boys drafted who show a desire to attain technical education will be furnished after being drafted for the purpose of attending college. He said regulations to carry out the programme have not been promulgated but indicated that there was no purpose to undertake education of all drafted youths.

### SAYS HE SAW PERISCOPE OF 'SUB' AT MONTAUK POINT

Report of Submarine's Presence  
Brought to New London  
by Ship Captain.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 31.—Capt. William R. Jeffrey, arriving here, declared to-day that he was certain he saw the periscope of a German submarine when his vessel was just inside Montauk Point.

He said the periscope appeared between the point and the Long Island mainland. Capt. Jeffrey said the periscope was not that of a United States submarine boat, as he is familiar with American submarines.

### CARDINAL IS RECOVERING.

Sts Up for First Time Since Illness  
and Relapse Is Only Danger.

MAMARONECK, Aug. 31.—Physicians treating Cardinal Farley, who is ill in his summer home here, are satisfied with his progress toward recovery. Mr. Carroll, his secretary, said to-day.

"The Cardinal slept well," Mr. Carroll stated. "He sat up for an hour yesterday, the first time since he became ill."

A bulletin probably will be issued by the physicians when Cardinal Farley is considered out of danger and the possibility of a relapse has passed.

# AMERICANS GAIN ON NEW FRONT; BRITISH SURROUND PERONNE

## AMERICANS IN NEW BATTLE GAIN EAST OF THE AILETTE; NEARING CHEMIN DES DAMES

Latest Advances Bring U. S.  
Forces Within Sight of  
Laon Cathedral.

PARIS, Aug. 31, 4 P. M. (United Press).—The battle east of the Ailette River is proceeding violently. The enemy is unable to resist the Franco-American push.

This is the first intimation that American troops are fighting in this sector. The first Americans to enter the present Picardy drive are engaged about four miles southward.

PARIS, Aug. 31 (Associated Press).—The positions won yesterday by the American forces northwest of Soissons, La Liberte points out, give them a fine view along the Chemin-des-Dames. The Americans can now see the towers of the Laon Cathedral.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 31 (Reuters).—Between the Ailette and the Aisne and far to the southeastward along the line of the Vesle the battlefield is one vast panorama of fire. Here at the moment the Germans are offering the most desperate resistance, since the issue in this sector has a graver strategic bearing than anywhere else along the whole front.

With Gen. Mangin's men already across the Ailette on either side of the village of Champs, the enemy's hold on Coucy-le-Chateau is threatened.

"Coucy-le-Chateau is a highly important to the Germans as a distributing centre of troops falling back from Noyon and thence fighting steadily on the left bank of the Ailette.

American troops, in the centre, are still fighting to clear the difficult entanglement of ravines before them.

### MISS ROSENTHAL CAPTURES WESTERN GOLF TITLE

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—Miss Elaine Rosenthal, of Ravinia Country Club, Chicago, to-day won the Women's Western Golf Championship defeating Miss Frances Hadfield, of the Blue Mound Country Club, Milwaukee, four up, and three to play. Miss Rosenthal was Western Champion in 1915.

### FIVE KILLED AS BUS FALLS.

New York Vehicle Runs Over Embankment at Bloomingburg.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Five persons were killed to-day when a big New York omnibus loaded with people ran over an embankment at Bloomingburg. The vehicle was carrying twenty-five passengers.

### NEW SICKNESS IN BELGIUM.

Malady, Believed to Be Cholera,  
Caused Thirty Deaths.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 31.—The Telegram says it learns that a new sickness, probably cholera, has broken out in Belgium. Thirty young persons died this week in a village near Diest. The Germans are trying to localize the disease.

### SOLE TO BE CHANCELLOR, SAYS A BERLIN REPORT

Von Hertling to Retire Shortly Because of His Advanced Age, the Rumor Declares.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—It is rumored in Berlin, according to a despatch from Amsterdam to the Central News Agency, that Chancellor von Hertling shortly will retire owing to his advanced age and will be succeeded by Dr. W. S. Solt, the German Colonial Secretary.

### STRIKE OF LONDON POLICE IS SETTLED

Announcement Made Following a Conference of "Bobbies" With Premier Lloyd George.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—The strike of the London police force has been settled, according to an announcement made this evening by the Exchange Telegraph Company.

The announcement of the strike settlement was made after a deputation of the strikers held a conference with Premier Lloyd George.

The famous metropolitan police force went on strike Thursday midnight, demanding higher wages and recognition of the union. Last night London was without adequate police protection. Thieves broke jewelry shop windows and stole the displays.

### ANOTHER SPANISH SHIP TORPEDOED BY GERMANS

Alexandrine Second to Be Sunk in Week—May Precipitate a Crisis.

PARIS, Aug. 31.—Another Spanish ship, the Alexandrine, has been torpedoed, according to a Madrid despatch to the Journal.

### BEGINNING OF THE END FOR GERMAN MILITARISM, LLOYD GEORGE DECLARES

Cables Premier Orlando of Italy Foch, Allied Generals and the Troops Have Turned Tide.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—Premier Lloyd George has sent the following reply to a message from Premier Orlando, congratulating the British on their success in France:

"Since the Supreme War Council met, there has been a welcome transformation in the situation."

"Thanks to Marshal Foch, the Allied Generals and the troops, the Germans are now in retreat."

"We feel sure this success is the beginning of the end of dominance of German militarism."

Haig's Troops Strike on Double Front in North and Gain One to Two Miles—Push Ahead on Arras-Cambrai Road—French Advance on Ailette.

LONDON, Aug. 31, 1.10 P. M. (Associated Press).—Mont Kemmel, the famous stronghold southwest of Ypres, which was the scene of terrific fighting during the German offensive in Flanders late in April, has been captured by the British, according to reports from the front.

Mont St. Quentin, a mile and a half north of Peronne, has been taken by Field Marshal Haig's forces, who are advancing on Dussu, about two miles northeast of Peronne.

The British have progressed a mile and a half east of Baileul.

French troops made a small advance on the Ailette River and in that neighborhood, occupying the southern outskirts of the wood 500 yards southwest of Coucy-le-Chateau.

GERMANS RETREAT ON 20-MILE FRONT.

WITH THE BRITISH FORCES IN FRANCE, Aug. 31, noon (Associated Press).—British successes on the Lys salient sector of the battlefield have caused the Germans to start a retreat from the neighborhood of Kemmel to opposite Bethune. The withdrawal is progressing rapidly.

[This front is approximately twenty miles in length.]

Field Marshal Haig's men to-day are attacking near Marrienes Wood, between Bapaume and the River Somme, which position is strongly held by the enemy.

Advances have been made here and there by British forces along the battle front, but they generally have been slight. The night was comparatively quiet throughout the zone, but fighting again became heavy after dawn this morning.

The enemy has delivered vicious counter attacks with powerful forces south of the Arras-Cambrai Road. As the result of one of these counter blows the British withdrew to the edge of Riencourt-les-Cagnicourt.

BRITISH ATTACK NEAR BULLECOURT.

The Germans also are in some strength south of the railway below Bullecourt and they are now being attacked by the British. The outskirts of Ecoust-St. Mein, from where the British also retired late yesterday, again are being attacked.

On both sides of the River Scarpe, on the Arras front, there have been heavy counter attacks, delivered apparently by fresh troops. Here, as elsewhere, the British have maintained their gains only by retiring slightly where a few yards are not as valuable as lives, and where the opportunity has offered to inflict heavy casualties on the enemy.

In all these places many Germans were killed and wounded and they lost a considerable number of prisoners.

Plouvain, on the north bank of the Scarpe, has now been completely cleared of the enemy.

South of the river ground has been gained in the direction of Eterpigny and Hamblin-les-Prees.

South of Bapaume hard fighting continues and more ground has been captured by the British between Bapaume and the Somme.

GERMANS USE TORCH IN RETREAT.

In the north the recent British successes have apparently caused the Germans to start a withdrawal extending roughly from the neighborhood of Kemmel through the region of Bethune, and this morning the British lines appeared to be progressing rapidly on the heels of the enemy. While the salient here is gradually becoming more shallow, the enemy is retiring only after applying the torch to his stores and demolishing what remains of the houses.

Baileul now is completely in British hands and patrols are on Mont.